

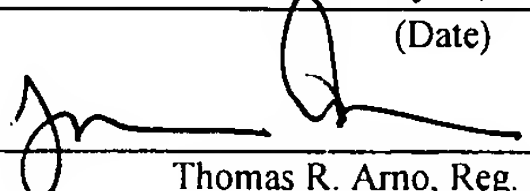
Response to Missing Requirements Under 35 USC § 371	Attorney Docket No.: GOWL3.001APC First Named Inventor: James Keenan Int'l Application No.: PCT/CA2004/000174 US Application No.: 10/549,881 Entered National Phase: September 16, 2005 Title: MEDICAL DEVICES WITH ENHANCED ULTRASONIC VISIBILITY
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Applicant herewith submits to the US Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- (X) This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371.
- (X) Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371 dated September 11, 2006.
- (X) An Oath or Declaration signed by the inventors (35 USC 371(c)(4)) in 2 pages.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.

FILING FEES NOT YET PAID:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27. The fees are based on the Preliminary Amendment filed November 14, 2006.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE			CALCULATION	TOTAL
Late Oath/Decl.	37 CFR § 1.492(h)			\$65
Excess Claims	30 - 20 = 10		10 x 25 =	\$250
Excess Ind. Claims	3 - 3 = 0		0 x 100 =	\$0
Multiple Claim	37 CFR § 1.492(f)			\$0
2 Month Extension	37 CFR § 1.17(a)(2)			\$225
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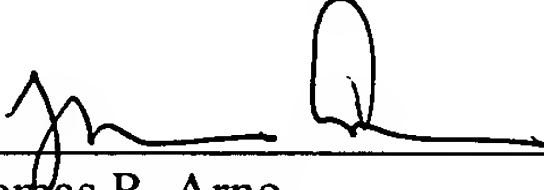
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(X) A check in the amount of \$540 is enclosed to cover the above fees.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.



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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/16/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/16/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/12/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 09/16/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/16/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 09/16/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$725 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$790** for a Small Entity:

- **\$65** Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$ 725**
 - **\$725** for **29** total claims over 20.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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